

Public Hearing: January 13, 2003

## **F A C T   S H E E T**

**TITLE:** Agreement with the State of Nebraska Department of Roads for Project No. BR-STPC-5220(2); Salt Creek Bridge at West "A" Street; Bridge Replacement, Water Main and Sewer Reconstruction.

**SPONSOR:** Public Works & Utilities Department / Engineering Services

**OPPONENTS:** Unknown

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**  
Recommend approval.

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:**

Water and Wastewater

**APPLICANT:** Public Works & Utilities

**REASON FOR LEGISLATION:** To provide the authority to approve an agreement with the Nebraska Department of Roads for Project No. BR-STPC-5220(2) for the construction of a new bridge on "A" Street over Salt Creek.

## **D I S C U S S I O N**

The current "A" Street bridge is functionally obsolete and eligible for State of Nebraska Bridge Replacement Funds. This agreement will allow the project to proceed at this time so that it can be coordinated with the construction of the 3rd and "A" Street Overpass. The City's share of the project is approximately 20% of the total cost of the replacement. The new bridge will be widened to accommodate the two plus one lane configuration on "A" Street as described in the City's Comprehensive Plan with a ten foot bikeway and a seven foot walkway. There is also a 16" water main to be constructed with the project which needs to be in place prior to this summer.

**POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE:** No

**COST OF TOTAL PROJECT:** \$2,393,250

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:**

**CITY:** \$478,650

**NON CITY:** Federal share \$1,914,600 (of which \$850,000 is Bridge Replacement)

**BENEFIT COST:**

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